



TIC@MALMESBURY

**Week Commencing Friday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2026**

## **+Malmesbury+ What's On Guide**

**FROM YOUR LOCAL TOURIST INFORMATION CENTRE**

Town Hall, Cross Hayes, Malmesbury, SN16 9BZ\_Tel:01666 822143

Email: [tic@malmesbury.gov.uk](mailto:tic@malmesbury.gov.uk)

Open Mon – Thurs 9am -4.50pm, Fri 9am -4.20pm, Weekends & Bank Holidays 10am -3.50pm

*Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> January to Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> February*

### ***Glimmer***

*An exhibition of landscape paintings  
by Chris Frost*

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*Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February to Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March*

*An exhibition by local artist*

***Lesley Jablonski***

*Cards and artwork for sale*



### **Movies at Malmesbury**

**The Thing with Feathers – Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2pm & 8pm (15)**

**Marty Supreme – Friday 6<sup>th</sup> February 2pm & Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> 8pm (15)**

**The Spongebob Movie: Search for Square Pants - Friday 6<sup>th</sup> February 5.30pm & Monday 16<sup>th</sup> 5.30pm (PG)**

**Avatar: Fire & Ash – Friday 6<sup>th</sup> February 8pm & Friday 20<sup>th</sup> 1.30pm (PG)**

**The Royal Ballet: Woolf Works – Monday 9<sup>th</sup> February 7.15pm & Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> 2pm (PG)**

**Sinners – Monday 16<sup>th</sup> February 2pm & 8pm (15)**

**Song Sung Blue – Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> February 2pm & Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> March 8pm (12A)**

**National Theatre Live: The Audience – Friday 27<sup>th</sup> February 7pm & Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2pm**

**Hamnet – Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2pm (12A) **SOLD OUT**, Friday 6<sup>th</sup> 8pm **SOLD OUT**, Monday 9<sup>th</sup> March 2pm **SOLD OUT** & 8pm **Tickets still available****

**Royal Ballet & Opera: Giselle - Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 7.15 & Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> 2pm**

**Exhibition on Screen: Turner and Constable - Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> March 7.30pm & Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> 2pm**

**28 Years Later: The Bone Temple – Monday 16<sup>th</sup> March 2pm & 8pm (18)**

**Wuthering Heights – Monday 30<sup>th</sup> March 2pm & 8pm (15)**

**The Royal Opera: Siegfried - Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> March 5.15pm & Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> April 2pm (15)**

Tickets are available online, at the Tourist Information Centre, or on the door before each screening (subject to availability)

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## **EXPLORE MALMESBURY**

### **Your companion to your visit to Malmesbury**



Welcome to Explore Malmesbury: [www.exploremalmesbury.com](http://www.exploremalmesbury.com). Explore Malmesbury tells the stories of Malmesbury at the places they happened. Follow a themed trail, enjoy an Explore tour, follow a quiz or make up your own guided journey. There are new discoveries around every corner.  
[www.exploremalmesbury.com](http://www.exploremalmesbury.com) or visit the Tourist Information Centre in the Town Hall.

**PLEASE CHECK EACH EVENT FOR UP-TO-DATE INFORMATION**

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#### **Malmesbury Community Wardrobe Winter Opening 2025**

**Opening every Tuesday 9am to 11.30am and the first Saturday of each month 9am to 10.30am**

Riverside Community Centre, Gloucester Road, Malmesbury

Have you visited the Community Wardrobe? Good quality, preloved clothes **FREE TO EVERYONE**

**Donations of clothing for men & women please:**

**Drop off points: Gloucester Road Coop, Tourist Information Centre- Malmesbury Town Hall**

All items must be in good condition, clean and bagged

#### **Big Malmesbury Clothes Swap**

Saturday 18th April 11am to 2pm

This popular event where you can recycle your preloved clothes and get a whole new wardrobe for a small donation is returning to the Old School Room, Malmesbury Town Hall, - we will be accepting clothing donations from the end of March, more details to follow soon ...

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#### **Malmesbury Abbey & Hope Church**

##### **Alpha**

Starting Wednesday 21st January 6.45pm welcome for 7pm meal - Maltings Room, Town Hall, Cross Hayes, Malmesbury SN16 9BZ

A free course for anyone who wants to explore the Christian faith together

Hot meal served at the start of each evening

For more info or to register your interest contact: [office@malmesburyabbey.com](mailto:office@malmesburyabbey.com) or [info@thehope.church](mailto:info@thehope.church)

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#### **Family & Community Learning - Resilience & Readiness! Boost your Confidence to Prepare for Work**

##### **Face to Face Sessions**

Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> January and 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> February 10am to 12 noon and 12.30 to 2.30pm - Royal Wootton Bassett

##### **Online sessions**

Thursday 29th January & 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> February 10am to 12 noon

##### **BOOK by 19<sup>th</sup> January**

For booking contact 01225 770478

Or [familyandcommunitylearning@wiltshire.gov.uk](mailto:familyandcommunitylearning@wiltshire.gov.uk)

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#### **Trio Paradis – Monthly Café Concerts at Malmesbury Abbey**

Concerts 2pm to 3pm – Malmesbury Abbey SN16 0AA

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> February – **Roots** – Afro-American composers

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> March – **Daughters of the Muse** – Music by women composers

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> May - **Folk Connections** – Traditional song & dance,

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> June – **Iberia** – Music of Spain & Portugal

**Abbey café open before & after concert. Entrance by donation, with a retiring collection**

[www.trioparadis.com](http://www.trioparadis.com)

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### **Malmesbury & District Twinning Association – Quiz Night**

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> February 7 to 10pm Doors open 6.30pm – Malmesbury Town Hall, Cross Hayes, SN16 9BZ

Bar - Raffle - Prizes

Teams of up to 6 £10 per person (includes a Ploughman's style supper)

Tickets from The Tourist Information Centre, Malmesbury Town Hall ( Cash or Card) or online:

<https://malmesbury.gov.uk> > What's On or via the link on [www.malmesburytwinningf.co.uk](http://www.malmesburytwinningf.co.uk)

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### **Saturday Friends at Riverside**

Next Sessions: 7<sup>th</sup> February, 7<sup>th</sup> March, 11<sup>th</sup> April 2 to 4pm & Monday Friends drop in for a cuppa 10am to 12

Noon- Riverside Community Centre, Gloucester Road, Malmesbury, SN16 9JS

'Saturday Friends' is for older people, where you can have a chat, meet other people over a cup of tea or coffee, also enjoy activities, talks or entertainment.

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### **White Horse Opera Present 'Cosi Fan Tutte' By WA Mozart**

Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> February 7.30pm – Sherston Village Hall

A popular Comic Opera Exploring love, loyalty and human fallibility. Sung in English – Sung in English

Tickets Adult £15, Child £ 10 From the Co-op (Cash only) or Online: [www.ticketsource.co.uk/whitehorseopera](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/whitehorseopera)

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### **Beginners Sketching & Drawing Course**

Tuesdays starting 10<sup>th</sup> February to 24<sup>th</sup> March 6 to 9pm – Riverside Community Centre, Gloucester Road, Malmesbury

Taught by an experienced & qualified teacher.

Bring a set of pencils (HB to 6B), putty rubber, eraser, Tombow mono eraser, ruler, tracing paper & A3 sketch pad

Limited spaces. Book ahead by email: [forhumanity2020@prontomail.com](mailto:forhumanity2020@prontomail.com)

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### **Malmesbury Abbey Music Society- Music for the Soul- Orchestra Pro Anima**

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> February 7pm (doors open 6.30pm) – Malmesbury Abbey

Orchestra Pro Anima leader: Michael Bochmann with David Campbell clarinet

And with Malmesbury Youth Winds.

Tickets- Adult £24, Under 16s £5, Reserved Seating £30: Online:

<https://www.malmesburyabbeymusic.com/event-details/orchestra-pro-anima-leader-michael-bochmann-with-david-campbell-clarinet> or in person from Caerbladon, 24 High Street, Malmesbury

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### **Malmesbury WI Meetings**

7.30 to 9 pm - The Assembly Room, Malmesbury Town Hall.

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> February – **Amy Levin All About Chocolate** – Amy will talk to us about her job as a 'chocolate maker'

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March – **Defibrillator & CPR Training** – A representative from the Community Heartbeat Team will be demonstrating the use of a defibrillator & how to do CPR.

All women over 18 welcome

Visitors £5

Email: [malmesburywi@gmail.com](mailto:malmesburywi@gmail.com) for more information

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### **Malmesbury Walkers – Woodchester Park & Lakes**

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February 9.50am – Tinkley Gate National Trust car park, North side of Tinkley Lane (single track lane with passing places, between Nymphsfield & Nailsworth) Parking free to NT members & £3 non-members.

What 3 words: producers.reserve.skewing

A lovely 4 mile woodland & lakeside walk. No stiles, Steep descent & ascent beginning & end.

Coffee stop (bring your own refreshments)

Everyone welcome. Dogs welcome (on leads where necessary)

For further details contact Mike or Brian on 07746 119070

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### **Quiz Night with Light Supper - In Aid of Athelstan Museum**

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February 7 to 10pm – Rausing Building, Oxford Street, Malmesbury, SN16 9AX

Quiz night including light supper, bar available. Prizes & Raffle

£12.50 per person. Teams of 4

Tickets from Athelstan Museum

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### **Malmesbury Textile Group Workshop - Creative Backgrounds and Wet Collaging with Jo Hill**

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> February 10am to 4pm- Little Somerford Hall, Mill Lane, Little Somerford, SN14 5JW

To book a place contact Ruth Vaughan: [r.vaughan56@btinternet.com](mailto:r.vaughan56@btinternet.com)

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### **Athelstan Museum Lace Making**

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> February 10.30am to 12.30pm & 1.30 to 3.30pm – The Rausing Building, Oxford Street, Malmesbury SN16 9AX

Lace has been made in Malmesbury for the more than 300 years. Come & join us for these workshops.

All ages 5 to 95 welcome (under 16s with accompanying adult)

No tickets required £5 donation welcome

For more information go to: [www.athelstanmuseum.org.uk](http://www.athelstanmuseum.org.uk)

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### **Caerbladon – Let's Create Art! Portrait Drawing – Half Term Youth Workshop**

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> February 11am to 1pm – Caerbladon, 24 High Street, Malmesbury, SN16 9UA

Join us for a morning of drawing where we will explore how to draw portraits by learning specific techniques. No experience necessary. Open to 13 years plus

For more information and to book your place please contact: [caerbladon.co.uk/workshops](http://caerbladon.co.uk/workshops)

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### **The North Wessex – A Talk Raising Funds for Corston & Rodbourne Reading Room**

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> February 6.30pm – Corston & Rodbourne Reading Room

Local Historian David Mitchell will talk about the ancient, but forgotten road from Oxford to Bristol. The route has its origins in the Iron Age and was used by; kings, armies, monks, travellers and pilgrims in the millennia that followed. Only now is its history & importance being recognised.

Tickets £10 (including a glass of wine or soft drink) To book call: 01666 822775

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### **Mayor's Charity Skool Disco**

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> February 7pm – Malmesbury Town Hall, Cross Hayes, Malmesbury, SN16 9BZ

A proper skool disco with tuck shop, bar, nostalgic tunes and questionable dance moves

Tickets £15 from The Tourist Information Centre, Malmesbury Town Hall or online: [www.malmesbury.gov.uk](http://www.malmesbury.gov.uk)

**In aid of the Mayor of Malmesbury's charities- HEALS of Malmesbury & Malmesbury & District Foodbank**

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### **Agatha Appleton and the Peril of the Pyramids**

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> February 7:30PM 2026 – Brinkworth Village Hall, Chippenham, SN15 5AF

Rain or Shine Theatre Company

Tickets: £15 Adult, £8 Child under 16

Call: 01666 510045 or 01666 510545

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### **Malmesbury Repair Cafe**

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> February 10 am - No new items after 11.15 am - Malmesbury Library, Cross Hayes, Malmesbury.

**If you want to bring something along please try to arrive early**

We fix things for **FREE!** Come along and challenge our wonderful volunteers to repair your household items and fabrics. If spare parts are needed then we will ask you to pay for them, but we will always consult with you before incurring costs. What can we fix? What have you got? Lamps, bread-makers, mixers, vacuum cleaners, hedge trimmers, torn clothing, toys, ceramics and so on. If you are not sure about bringing something along simply post a question or email us at [malmesburyrepaircafe@gmail.com](mailto:malmesburyrepaircafe@gmail.com)

**The Repair Cafe runs on the Third Saturday of every month EXCEPT December**

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### **Vigil and Service to mark the fourth anniversary of the war in Ukraine**

Saturday 21 February 3.30pm short vigil in the Market Cross, followed by a Ukrainian Service at 4pm in Malmesbury Abbey, followed by cakes and refreshments

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### **Athelstan Museum History Club- FREE Interactive workshops for Children Aged 4 to 11 Years Old**

Join us in The Rousing Building 1.30 to 3.30pm

Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> February – **Wartime in Malmesbury**

Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> March – **Elmer the Flying Monk**

Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> April – **Railways in Malmesbury**

**All children must be accompanied by an adult – Donations welcome**

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**Come & Meet Wessex Water – Community Drop In**

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> February 10 am to 12 Noon & 1 to 2 pm – Malmesbury Town Hall, Cross Hayes, Malmesbury, SN16 9BZ to 10.30

Chat to us in person if you have queries about: your water Bill, water & sewerage services, how to save water and prevent sewer blockages.

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**Athelstan Museum – Teatime Talk – What Has Town Twinning Done For Us?**

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2.30pm (Doors open at 2.15pm) – The Rausing Building (Old Moravian Church), Oxford Street, Malmesbury SN16 9AX

Julia Bowen will tell us about the history of Twinning in Malmesbury from post-war reparation to the present

Tea & Cake served at 2.30pm Talk starts at 3pm

Tickets £8, including tea & homemade cake

For more details: [www.athelstanmuseum.org.uk](http://www.athelstanmuseum.org.uk)

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**Malmesbury Live Arts**

Note that tickets for all MLA season 5 events in 2026 are now live on the website - see here for details and booking: <https://malmesbury-live-arts.org.uk/>

They include:

Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> February - **John Bramwell (I am Kloot)** - Malmesbury Abbey

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> March - **The Long Players** - Malmesbury Town Hall

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> April - **Comedy Club at The Kings Arms**

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> April - **Martin Stephenson & The Daintees Trio** - Malmesbury Town Hall

Around About Dusk at The Kings Arms Hotel on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> May

Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> June - **The Mighty Soul Destroyers (ft The Rev Phil Harmonic) + Arkansaw Jukebox** - Malmesbury Town Hall

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> July - **Spooky Men's Chorale** - Malmesbury Abbey

**Note - many events sell out so please book early to avoid disappointment**

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**Come & Meet Wessex Water – Community Drop In**

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> March & 5<sup>th</sup> May - 10 am to 12 Noon & 1 to 2 pm – Chippenham Library

Chat to us in person if you have queries about: your water Bill, water & sewerage services, how to save water and prevent sewer blockages.

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**Cor Aduniad – Free Concert at Malmesbury Abbey**

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> March 12 to 12.45pm - Malmesbury Abbey

Free concert open to all, with an outstanding chamber choir from Wales. Choral director Drew Morton.

Expect a wide selection of music genres and styles, from classical to contemporary.

**Voluntary retiring collection in aid of Malmesbury Abbey & Choir Funds**

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**Malmesbury U3a Meetings**

Monthly meetings take place on the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of the month 10 am to 12noon (No monthly meetings in July or August) – Malmesbury Town Hall

Non-members welcome. 50p donation.

Check our website for an up –to-date list of groups and other information: [www.malmesburyu3a.org.uk](http://www.malmesburyu3a.org.uk)

For more information e-mail: [membership@malmesburyu3a.org.uk](mailto:membership@malmesburyu3a.org.uk)

**Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March - “So Far, So Good”** - Malcolm Wells MBE.

Malcolm will give us a light hearted biography of his life so far, from his time at Canine Partners, through 24 years in the Army as a musician playing the Cello, as a Medical Assistant in the Gulf War through to his receiving his MBE at Buckingham Palace.

**Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> April “Aid to Ukraine”** - Brendon Ball \*Please Note, at the time of publication this talk is still subject to confirmation \*.

Just before this talk is planned to take place Brendon will have recently returned from taking an Ambulance out to Ukraine, so will be incredibly well placed to talk about what the current situation is like in Ukraine. If confirmed, this should be a fascinating talk about this terrible conflict.

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**Mayor of Malmesbury's Charity Ball**

Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> April 7pm – Malmesbury Town Hall, Malmesbury, SN16 9BZ

Step into the glamour of the 1920s for an unforgettable night of celebration, style & community. Join more than

100 guests for Cllr Stephen James Mayoral Year Charity Ball

Arrival drinks & canapes, two course dinner by Chef Dan Wyatt, live music & dancing, Charity casino, High-end  
auctions and on-the-night pledges

Dress to 20s impress.

Tickets £80 from Malmesbury Tourist Information Centre or online at: [www.malmesbury.gov.uk](http://www.malmesbury.gov.uk) go to What's  
On/ Civic Events

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**Tetbury Goods Shed**

**For information on all events and to buy tickets visit**

<https://shed-arts.co.uk/>

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**National Garden Scheme**

Some snowdrop and spring flower gardens are now open.

For full garden openings please go to: [www.ngs.org.uk](http://www.ngs.org.uk)

A number of gardens are now open by arrangement. It is such a lovely way to visit a garden, with a club/group or  
just a group of your friends or family. So easy to organise, direct with the garden owner. We have several new  
gardens opening this way for us, as well as many of our old favourites.

<https://ngs.org.uk/wiltshire-by-arrangement/>